UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF SOUTH DAKOTA SOUTHERN DIVISION



The Defendant has filed a Motion for Protective Order as to Discovery Documents, Doc. 62, with an attached Stipulation for Protection Order, for the protection of confidential information in this action. No basis is established to show why certain documents and other information should be sealed and not subject to public inspection. There are circumstances under which information should be sealed but the Court must be presented with a factual basis as well as a legal basis for consideration before ordering that any filed information be closed to public inspection.

Dated this day of February, 2008.

BY THE COURT:

United States District Judge

ATTEST: JOSEPH HAAS, CLERK

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